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## - Shoe Bargains -

WE are moving off a lot of broken lines and odd sizes. All good grades of footwear and most of them and stylish shapes. Avail yourself of this opportunity. The prices are cut deeper than usual on such good goods.

1 lot **odd pairs, mostly small size** - - - - .49
1 lot **Patent Tip Kid Lace Shoes, sewed soles,** $2.29
1 lot **Light Calf Lace Shoes, stitch soles** - $2.29
1 **broken lot of $3.00 Shoes** - - - - - $1.95
**Misses Soft Calf $1.75 Lace Shoes, stout soles** - $1.39
**Velvet Calf High Lace Children's Boots, 8½ to 11** $1.19
" " " " **Misses** " 11½ to 2 $1.29

## Thoits.

**PALO ALTO**

## Everything

in high-grade food stuffs in canned goods of all kinds; choice Teas and Coffees of fine blend and exquisite flavor; the best grades of family flour, and food cereals you will find at all seasons in our select stock of Fancy and Staple Groceries.

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**Main and Bridge Sts, Redwood City**

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A Street, opposite Court House,
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**$15.25 to $12.00 for Cash**

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**.. CHIFFONIERS ..**

**$8.75 to $7.00 with mirror for cash**
**$7.50 to $6.00 without mirror "**

..... HE HAS .....

**... 20 Dressers and 30 Chiffoniers ...**

**MONEY TALKS**

Do you want any of that old Fish Net Curry has?

## The Filters Fill

Human kidneys are but human filters. They become clogged from overwork and neglect, and refuse to do their work. **Emil Frese's Hamburg Tea** removes the obstruction, gives them healthy action and purifies the blood.

At all druggists and grocers, 25 cents.

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## WHEN YOU BUY BUY RIGHT

WE AIM AT HIGH QUALITY—COME TO US FOR THE BEST.

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| Golden Gate high-grade Mocha and Java Coffee, put up in air-tight tin packages; pound | 40 cents |
| Blue Bell Canned Corn; can. price on this corn sure to advance | 10 cents |
| S. & W. Salmon, fancy red fish; can | 15 cents |
| Columbia Soups in quart cans; can quality guaranteed—a bargain you should not miss | 15 cents |
| Snowflake Boneless Codfish; three pounds for | 25 cents |
| San Diego White Sage Honey; pint jar | 25 cents |
| Del Monte Flapjack Flour; package all kinds of syrup for your pancakes | 15 cents |
| Jim Dandy, the new and popular health confection, made from fruit and wheat flakes—an appetizing lunch for children; package | 5 cents |

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Successor to L. OTZEN

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**FOR SALE.**

*The Stambaugh Home for $4500.*

Also other houses and lots at a bargain.

For terms apply to
MISS MARTHA NORMAN,
Redwood City,
Near the Water Work.

## Mount Olivet Cemetery

NEAR COLMA
**Lawn Plan Perpetual Care**
**Non-Sectarian**

# GREAT REDUCTION CASH SALE!

## COMMENCING MONDAY, JANUARY 18, 1904

**Closing out our entire line of Dry Goods at absolute cost. This is to be a bona fide sale and we guarantee the prices; and we also guarantee that you will not have the privilege of buying so cheap for many days to come. Our stock is new, clean and up to date. Don't take our word for it, but bring this with you; compare and see for yourself. Seeing is believing. Talk is cheap.**

### RIBBONS

200 yds Plain and Moire Ribbon, 20c quality . 10c yd
150 yds Plain Taffeta Ribbon, 15c quality . 5c. yd

### Ladies' Belts

All our 25 and 50c Belts cut to . . . . 19c

### Calicos, Ginghams, Cheviots

700 yds Turkey Red, Indigo and Fancy Calicos, 7c quality
1000 yds Amoskeag Apron Gingham, 7c quality
100 yds Fleece-lined Flannelettes, 12½c quality
500 yds Cheviot Shirting, 10c quality
250 yds Cheviot Shirting, 12½c quality . 7½c yd
500 yds Double-faced Flannelettes, 12½c quality 8c yd
1000 yds Fancy Gingham (75 patterns) 15c quality 8½c yd
1500 yds French Percales (36 in. wide) . . . 8c yd

**5c yd**

### Covert Cloth, Bed Ticking, Denim

150 yds Covert Cloth, 15c quality . . . 9c yd
125 yds Fancy Stripe Bed Ticking, 25c quality 14c yd
200 yds Brown and Blue Denim, 20c quality . 15c yd

### Cotton Toweling and Towels

150 yds Cotton Toweling, 6c quality . . 4c yd
5 doz Plain and Hucked Towels, 15c quality 9c each
10 doz Bleached Turkish Towels, 35c quality 19c each

### TABLE LINEN

250 yds Table Damask, 75c quality . . . 38c yd

### Ladies' Suits and Skirts

In this department we can show you a large assortment and give you prices never before equaled.

| | SALE PRICE |
|---|---|
| Lot 1—$2.00 to $3.50 Skirts, | $1 49 |
| Lot 2— 3.75 to 5.50 Skirts, | 3 00 |
| Lot 3— 6.00 to 8.25 Skirts, | 4 25 |
| Lot 4— 8.50 to 10 00 Skirts, | 5 75 |
| Lot 5—10.50 to 12 00 Skirts, | 6 50 |
| Lot 6—12.50 to 15.00 Skirts, | 8 75 |

### SUITS

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| $20 00 Suits, | Sale price | $14 25 |
| 27 50 Suits, | Sale price | 18 25 |
| 30 00 Suits, | Sale price | 21 25 |
| 32 00 Suits, | Sale price | 23 25 |
| 35 00 Suits, | Sale price | 23 25 |

### Ladies' Golf Jackets

1 lot Ladies' Golf Jackets, $5 00 quality, cut to $3 75
1 lot Ladies' Golf Jackets, 4 00 quality, cut to 2 75
1 lot Ladies' Golf Vests, 5 00 quality, cut to 3 50
1 lot Ladies' Golf Vests, 4 00 quality, cut to 2 50

### Millinery Department

We know that it is late for millinery, therefore we offer you the choice of any hat in stock **10 per cent less than cost.**

### DRESS GOODS

400 yds Venetian Cloth, Henrietta and Serges, regular 50c and 75c quality . . . 39c yd
20 pieces, 6 and 7-yd lengths, Sibeline Cloth, regular $6.00 and $9.00 patterns, . . . . cut to $4 10 and $5 25

All our Dress Goods Stock cut at the same ratio.

### LADIES' UNDERWEAR

25 dozen Ladies' Union Suits, 75c quality,

**35c Suit**

Here is something that no woman should miss. There are just 15 doz of these Union Suits made on the Oneita Patent. **Sizes 3, 4, 5 and 6,** medium weight rib, twin needle sewed flat seams; guarantee it a 75c quality. While they last,

**35c Suit**

### LADIES' HOSE

50 doz Ladies' Black and Fancy Hose, 50c quality, . . . . . 25c pair
25 doz Ladies' and Children's Black Hose, 15c quality . . . . . 8c pair

We bought the entire lot of 25 doz of these Hose and we are going to give you the benefit of our purchase. Fast black, 60-gauge, rib top, double-lined heel and toe, Hermsdorf dye.

### Mens' and Boys' Department

150 Men's Soft and Stiff Hats, $2.50 and $3.00 quality $1 98
All our $1.00 and $1.25 Wool and Derby-rib fleece-lined Underwear, the garment 85c
Twin-needle sewed, double cuff, the garment . . 45c
Black Cotton Work Pants, $1.00 and $1.25 quality 90c
25 doz Fancy and Plain Sox, 25c quality, 20c pr, 3 for 50c
All our Imperial, Ascot four-in-hand neckwear, 75c quality . . . . . 50c
All our String and Bat-wing Ties, 50c quality . 25c

**Any $28.00, $30.00 or $3500 Suiting to Order for $25.00.**

**25 per cent off on any Suit Case in the house.**

All our E. & W. Collars, 25c quality 3 for 50c

**We want 15 Salesladies. Call Monday, 8 a. m., Dry Goods Department.**

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COUNTY OFFICIAL PAPER.

Saturday, January 23, 1904.

D. E. O'KEEFE.....EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR


## THE CITY COUNCIL.

**Petition Asking That Street Lights Be Kept Burning All Night.**

A petition signed by sixty or more citizens was presented to the City Council at its regular meeting Monday evening asking that the street lights be kept burning until morning. The plan met with the approval of the members, but an inquiry developed the fact that the additional hours of lighting would cost $72 per month. This expense was considered too excessive to be borne at this time and the petition was rejected.

Health Officer Dodge reported that a nuisance was being maintained by the owner of the property in which the Club Restaurant is located, by the dumping of the waste matter underneath the building, which had for some time caused a most offensive smell. The health officer and Mr. Kincaid were directed to take active and immediate steps to have the nuisance abated.

A. J. Fromm sent a communication to the board protesting that his water bill for December, which amounted to $9, was excessive, and presented the December bills of previous years in support of his assertion. He claimed that either the meter or the party who read it must be in error. The problem proved too difficult for solution and the clerk was directed to inform Mr. Fromm that the meter showing is the best evidence available of what water has been used and there was no alternative except to pay the bill.

A contract between W. O. Dodge and the city was filed, by the terms of which the former agrees to lay 700 feet of six-inch water pipe on Washington street, at a cost of $210. Mr. Dodge's bondsmen are C. E. Knight and N. B. Graves, each of whom qualify in the sum of $250.

Street Superintendent Dickey complained that the railroad company, in building its double track, had cut off the culverts on Charter, Spruce, Eleventh and Beech streets, all of which were necessary to carry off the water during the rainy season.

The attorney was directed to communicate with the company and ask that the culverts be replaced at once.

Treasurer Towne reported cash in the different funds as follows:

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| General fund | $1759 58 |
| Street Improvement No. 3 | 182 97 |
| Street Improvement No. 4 | 309 29 |

Marshal Christ reported collections as follows: For water, $494.80; wine and beer licenses, $20; liquor licenses, $750; miscellaneous licenses, $99; special permits, $6; assessments on Stambaugh and Beech streets, $57.60. Total, $1427.60.

The following claims were approved and ordered paid:

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|---|---|
| Redwood City Water Company | $275 80 |
| United Gas and Electric Company | 144 00 |
| J. C. Dickey | 75 00 |
| John Christ | 60 00 |
| James P. Coleman | 40 00 |
| D. R. Stafford | 33 00 |
| W. O. Dodge | 25 25 |
| A. Kincaid | 25 00 |
| C. L. Gould | 24 75 |
| Stafford Brothers | 18 75 |
| William Jamieson | 17 50 |
| Times-Gazette | 13 00 |
| Redwood City Democrat | 13 00 |
| John Badie | 8 00 |
| H. H. Hurd | 4 00 |
| G. L. Fonda | 3 75 |
| S. Walker | 3 00 |
| P. B. Jamieson | 1 75 |
| C. M. Uhlenberg | 1 45 |
| Fritz Tribolet | 1 00 |
| A. D. Walsh | 95 |
| William Bement | 90 |

## COUNTY EXPENSES.

**The Following Bills Were Audited and Ordered Paid.**

GENERAL FUND.

| | |
|---|---|
| Fred Vallejo | $ 3 00 |
| Isabella M Curran | 25 0 |
| Times-Gazette | 20 40 |
| E E Cunningham | 11 75 |
| Times-Gazette | 52 80 |
| Wm Jamieson | 14 50 |
| H G Plymire | 54 55 |
| Mrs Mary L Cronk | 20 00 |
| Joseph Debenedetti | 3 00 |
| San Mateo Co. Game Protective Ass'n | 20 00 |
| A C Bowers | 3 00 |
| W A Simmons | 28 00 |
| P J Foley | 10 00 |
| John Davis | 24 00 |
| Havey & Winters | 65 00 |
| Redwood City Water Works | 8 50 |
| J C Valledao | 5 00 |
| Joseph Rodoni | 8 00 |
| C W Borden | 125 50 |
| Hughes & Peers | 65 00 |
| Eugene Donari | 34 00 |
| James Crowe | 12 25 |
| M P Healey | 6 45 |
| Steiger Pottery Works | 74 22 |
| Steiger Pottery Works | 25 60 |
| Duff & Doyle | 7 00 |
| Eugene Donari | 18 50 |
| Steiger Pottery Works | 13 13 |
| Steiger Pottery Works | 19 20 |
| A D Walsh | 60 55 |
| C W Borden | 670 15 |
| Steiger Pottery Works | 16 50 |
| H S Gilbert | 2 00 |
| Times-Gazette | 103 75 |
| Times-Gazette | 12 40 |
| Democrat | 85 65 |
| M S Gilbert | 6 00 |
| H Haughton | 1350 00 |
| Frank Abertoni | 2 50 |

INDIGENT FUND.

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|---|---|
| Mrs M Lahey | 15 00 |
| James G Mason | 107 00 |

SALARY FUND.

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| J Debenedetti | 25 20 |
| J Debenedetti | 24 80 |

COURT HOUSE FUND.

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| A Roussell | 40 00 |
| American Construction Co. | 4572 75 |

## The Appeal Dismissed.

Some months ago a board of referees appointed by the Superior Court partitioned a tract of marsh land, lying east of the Flood property at Menlo Park, between A. S. Baldwin and the Regents of the State university. The portion allotted to Baldwin was considered of greater value than that given to the university, and to even up the difference it was stipulated that Baldwin pay the regents $10,000. This arrangement did not meet with the approval of the latter who claimed that they still were getting the short end of the division, and the matter was appealed to the Supreme Court. That tribunal forwarded to the County Clerk on Thursday the remittitur dismissing the appeal.

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MENLO PARK—Thomas Fitzgerald, Wm. Hughes (of Redwood City).

BELMONT—Charles E. Dugan.

SAN MATEO—L. E. McLellan.

SAN BRUNO—Geo. R. Sneath.

HALFMOON BAY—A. Boitano.

SAN GREGORIO—Jesse Palmer.

The par value of stock is $50 per share, $25 per share to be paid as soon as 1000 shares are subscribed; the balance, $25 per share, is subject to call of Board of Directors in amounts not exceeding 10 per cent of par value of stock.

TRUSTEE FOR THE SUBSCRIBERS.—The San Francisco National Bank, S. E. corner Pine and Sansome streets, San Francisco.

C. E. DUGAN, Secretary.



ALEX GORDON W. A. PRICE

# GORDON & PRICE

REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE

OFFICE:

St. Charles Hotel, Redwood City.

Phone—Black 44


## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

**Instruments Placed on Record the Past Week.**

Thomas M. Alton to Louise F. Alton, part of block 4, Western Addition to San Mateo; $10.

Joseph Levy to Antonio Maria, et al, 4.09 acres of land part of southwest ¼ of section 8 south, range 5 west; $10.

Louis S. Tainter et al to Myra W. Knox, lots 1, 2, 3, 26, 27, and 28, in block 3, University Heights; $425.

Mary A. Lee to Michael D. Cogley, portions of blocks 2 and 14, Western Addition to San Mateo; $10.

Teresa Casserly to M. C. Gillespie, 15.38 acres of land near Menlo Park; $10.

Paolo Demartini to Mary Demartini, 1 acre of land and also 14.07 acres of land being a portion of the Canyada Raymundo Rancho; gift.

Edw. W. Howard (executor) to Agnes E. Archibald, certain lot in the Town of Burlingame; $500.

Minnie M. MacMonagle et al (executors) to Jules St. Denis, portion of the Corbitt Rauch; $400.

James K. Moffitt to Dora E. Krug, et al, portions of the Corbitt Rauch. Quit claim deed; valuable considerations.

Joseph C. Murphy to Phillippe L. Kauffmann, lot 19 in block 124, South San Francisco; $10.

Santa Clara Land Company to W. W. Beeson, lot 4 in block G, part of Redwood Farm; $10.

Ney L. Donovan, assignee to Francis Ferrier, lots 19, 20, and 21, in section 26, township 3 south, range 5 west, salt marsh and tide land and property situated elsewhere in the State of California; $500.

South San Francisco Land and Improvement Company to Mary A. Taylor, west ½ of lot 34 in block 119, South San Francisco; $10.

Henry Koop to Henry E. Heiner, lots 1 and 2, in block 3, Robinson's Addition to Redwood City; $10.

Alice B. McEwen et al to James Carmody, being a strip of land 50 feet wide off south end of lots 25 and 26 in block 125, South San Francisco; $10.

Alberto M. Pacheco et al to M. V. Nunes, lot 10 in block 44, Eastern Addition to San Mateo; $569.

R. M. Wisnom et al to Lulu McKenzie, lot 10 in block F, San Mateo Heights; $10.

South San Francisco Lynd and Improvement Company to Adolpho Paganucci, lot 9 in block 2, San Bruno Park; $10.

South San Francisco Land and Improvement Company to Carlo Giuntini, lots 4 and 5 in block 2, San Bruno Park; $10.

South San Francisco Land and Improvement Company to Ruben W. Smith et al, east ½ of lot 22 in block 124, South San Francisco; $10.


EINSTEIN'S SPECIALS.

Remnants at half the original cost.

Ladies' flannelette underskirts and gowns at greatly reduced prices.

Men's all wool underwear, worth $2.25 and $2 a suit, sell at $1.50 a suit. Guaranteed to wear well.

Ladies' Misses' and children's fleece-lined underwear 25c and 50c each.

Mens' extra heavy fleece-lined under wear 25c and 50c each.


## Notice of Sale of Real Estate by Special Master in Chancery.

IN THE UNITED STATES CIRCUIT Court in and for the Northern District of California, Ninth Judicial Circuit. WELLS, FARGO & CO., Complainant, vs. YERBA BUENA MUTUAL BUILDING and LOAN ASSOCIATION and JAMES R. FEEHAN, Defendants. No. 12,856.

Pursuant to a decree of the above-entitled Court in the above-entitled suit in equity, duly given and entered on the 11th day of January, 1904, whereby I, the undersigned, DARRELL A. HARE, was appointed a Special Master in Chancery for the purposes specified in the said decree, and whereby I was directed to sell the real property hereinafter described, or so much thereof as may be necessary to make the amount due to the said complainant, the said amount being $37,831.25 with interest thereon at 7 per cent per annum from the 20th day of May, 1901, a duly certified copy of which said decree has been delivered to me, I will sell on MONDAY, the FIFTEENTH DAY of FEBRUARY, 1904, at 12 o'clock noon, at public auction at and in front of the main entrance of the Court House of the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Mateo, in Redwood, in the said county, to the highest bidder for cash, in gold coin of the United States of America, the following described parcel of land, with the improvements thereon, or so much of the said real estate as may be necessary to make the amount aforesaid with interest, costs and expenses of sale, to-wit:

Lot No. 1, in Block No. 138, as per map filed in the office of the County Recorder of the said County of San Mateo, on the 1st day of March, 1892, entitled "Plat No. 1 of South San Francisco, San Mateo County, Cal."

Any sale by the undersigned of the said parcel of real property as such Special Master will be subject to confirmation by the above-entitled Court, and the real property sold by the undersigned as such Special Master will be subject to redemption in accordance with the laws of the State of California.

Terms of sale—Cash, payable on confirmation of sale by the above-entitled Court.

San Francisco, Cal., January 12, 1904.

DARRELL A. HARE, Special Master in Chancery.

E. S. PILLSBURY, Solicitor for Complainant, Crocker Building, San Francisco, Cal. jan16s

## STOCKHOLDERS AND DIRECTORS MEETING.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Stockholders and Directors of The Gardner Sanitarium will be held at the Sanitarium, Belmont, California, at twelve o'clock noon on Tuesday, the twenty-sixth day of January, 1904, to elect directors to serve for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting. P. S. GARDNER, Secretary.

Belmont, January the 16th, 1904.

## BUSINESS PERSONALS.

Dr. Charles A. Meek, dentist. Evenings, 7 to 8; Sundays, 9 to 1. Lipp building, Redwood City.

## NEW TO-DAY.

FOR SALE—One 360-egg Cyphers incubator, 3 large outdoor brooders, 3 Cyphers coops. Address Box 136, Redwood postoffice.

STRAYED OR STOLEN from my premises on January 13th, one bright bay stallion, three years old, with star on forehead and stripe on nose; one white hind foot; Weight, about 850 pounds. Jesse Rapley, Menlo Park, Cal. 1t

WANTED—Special representative in this county and adjoining territories, to represent and advertise an old established wealthy business house of solid financial standing. Salary $21 weekly, with $3 per day for expenses paid each Monday by check direct from headquarters. Expenses advanced and horse and buggy furnished when necessary; position permanent. Address Blew Bros., 600 Monon Building, Chicago, Ill.

FOUND—The place to purchase your Edison Phonographs and Phonographic supplies—at Charles E. Knights' grocery store. Call and hear one play; all the latest music. Phonographs from $5 to $30; records, 50 cents apiece

WANTED—Competent nurse desires a few engagements or will work by the day. Call or address at residence of H. H. Hurd, Redwood City. 19-2t

FOR SALE—About 400 pounds of dried fruit. Address or apply at Manzana Farm, Woodside.

FOUND—A pair of gloves. Owner may have same by calling at this office.

WISH to rent a small farm five to six acres or larger lot. Address, stating price L. KOVACS, Redwood City, California.

PASTURAGE TO LET.—Marchand's pasturage, 87 acres, on the West Union road, to the rear of Wellesley Park, three miles from depot. Plenty of water and good fence. Apply to E. Marchand, 720 Market street, San Francisco.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Two good lots in the center of Wellesley Park. Apply at this office.

WANTED—A position as gardener at a private place; long experience; good references; married; no children. Inquire at this office.

FOR SALE—An 8-horse disc plow; two mowing machines; one incubator and brooders complete. Inquire of H. RASMUSSEN, Woodside Grade, San Mateo county, Cal.

FOR SALE—GOOD ACREAGE PROPERTY near Woodside; excellent location; will be sold cheap. Inquire at Oak Hill Farm, Woodside.


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Heavy standard quality 36 inch, bleached 9c. quality 5c. yd.

**Printed Percale.**
Fast colors, 36 in., 15c. quality, French, 8c. yd.

**Canton Flannel.**
Heavy twilled, unbleached, 12½c. quality 9c. yd.

**Toweling Snap**
Heavy cotton toweling, red borders, 8c. quality 3½c. yd.

DRESS GOODS at less than manufacturer's cost. Ladies' Suits and Skirts less than half usual prices.

## FRAZER & CO.

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PALO ALTO


## AN ANNOUNCEMENT.

W. E. PIMENTEL, proprietor of the Capitol Hotel Shaving Parlors, wishes to announce that he has purchased the business and is prepared to do first-class work. Face massage a specialty. Agent for Kelly Laundry.


Our Native Herbs, the great blood, liver and kidney purifier, cures rheumatism, la grippe and all diseases. Medicine sent on receipt of one dollar. Address Mrs. R. E. Jamieson.



# CLEARANCE SALE.

Our Clearing Sale Is Going Merrily On.

The Store is Filled Every Day with People Who Appreciate Our Splendid Values. Don't Delay too Long, Broken Assortments Can't Last Always.

## Eastern Bargain Store

REDWOOD CITY

Mrs. J. Blum, Proprietor

Opposite Postoffice



A clear head is sought by every leader of business or social affairs, and a

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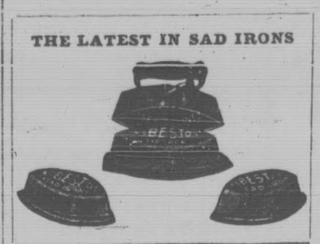

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# SHORT LOCAL SUGGESTIONS

## An Epitome of County Seat Happenings Gathered by the Reportorial Staff.

### New Water Mains on the Island. Journal Club Organized. Officers Installed.

Al Gardner has been laid up for a few days. He is suffering from rheumatism.

Bill Wyman, Mayor of Grabtown, was in town during the week attending to official business.

Attorney H. W. Walker left yesterday for Kings City, where he will remain several days on legal business.

Mrs. John Dielman Jr. of Santa Cruz has been spending several days with Mrs. John Dielman Sr. this week.

Keep in mind the Solid Three dance at the Alhambra on February 13th. A good time is assured all who attend.

District Deputy C. D. Hayward went to Halfmoon Bay Tuesday night and installed the newly-elected officers of Seaside parlor, N. S. G. W.

Miss Jeannette Meacham has secured a position as stenographer and type writer in the real estate and insurance office of Captain Royden at San Mateo.

W. H. Lee, of the firm of Lee Bros. & Co. of Santa Rosa, was a visitor in Redwood this week as the guest of his brother-in-law, W. H. Meacham, and family.

A little baby girl came into the home of Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Ramsay at Virginia City, Nevada, last week. Mrs. Ramsay was formerly Miss Ora Covert of this place.

The plastering on the new high school building is about completed and the finishing touches only remain to be put on. There is no reason why the building should not be ready for occupancy by the middle of March.

The Epworth League will tender a reception to Dr. Matthew, the presiding elder of the San Francisco District, in the M. E. Church at 8 o'clock this evening. The members and friends are cordially invited to be present.

It is rumored that Supt. Alex Frazer has resigned his position with the Frank Tanning Company, the same to go into effect January 31st, and that he will be succeeded by Mr. Derby of Oakland, who was superintendent before the late strike.

Miss Bee Fox, one of Redwood City's popular young ladies, has been appointed a clerk in the office of the District Attorney by J. J. Bullock. She succeeds Miss Curran, who has accepted a clerkship in the San Mateo County Savings Bank.

Rev. Francis E. Reid of San Jose will fill the pulpit in the Congregational Church to-morrow, both morning and evening. Sunday-school at 10 o'clock and Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend all the services.

There seems to have been some sort of an epidemic in the neighborhood of the freight depot this week, as John Poole Jr., Bob Oliver and C. M. Hart have all lost the beautiful hirsute appendages which adorned their upper lips for some years past.

To-morrow (Sunday) morning at 11 o'clock, Rev. W. S. Matthew, Presiding Elder of the San Francisco District, will preach in the Methodist Church and administer the sacrament of the Lord's Supper. In the evening at 7:30 he will also preach. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

The fences around the local grammar school are being removed and hereafter the grounds will not be inclosed. This will practically allow the high and grammar school yards to run together and will make plenty of playgrounds for the pupils of each institution.

H. Sarrasin, who came here recently and started a cigar factory in the Hadler block, purchased the business of H. D. Peterson last Saturday and will continue the latter establishment on the same lines as used by Mr. Peterson, i. e., fair treatment and good goods. Mr. Sarrasin expects to have a good wholesale as well as retail trade.

A number of the members of the local W. O. W. went to San Mateo Tuesday night to attend a lecture given by Head Council Falkenberg. Unknown to the local Woodmen the date had been changed and they had to wait until the theatre train. They say that they will be sure of their date next time before they attempt to pick it.

Last Saturday evening the Druids installed officers for the term. About thirty members, including two grand officers from Old Friends grove of San Francisco, attended, as did fifteen from Mayfield grove. Degrees were conferred on five candidates. After the ceremony refreshments were served. The evening was much enjoyed by all.

The County Clerk of San Francisco county issued a marriage license last Saturday to Mr. G. C. Beauchamp and Miss Sophie Gielow, both of San Francisco. Miss Gielow is well known here, where she passed her girlhood days. She is a charming young lady with many accomplishments and Mr. Beauchamp is to be congratulated on having won so fair a bride.

A Journal Club was organized by the teachers of the high and grammar schools at the home of Mr. Rossester last week. The members discuss topics of general interest and current events. A program is prepared for each evening, which according to present plans will be very interesting. The next meeting will be at Miss Bristol's rooms in the Capitol hotel, next Wednesday night.

Superintendent of Streets Dickey is laying a new water-main on the Island to replace the old leaky pipe which has been in place for over thirty years and which has given much trouble lately. On Thursday the neighborhood where the repairs are being made were treated to a small-sized geyser. The old pipe burst and a huge stream of water spouted into the air to a height of about thirty feet and continued for about ten minutes.

Last Tuesday night District Deputy Alice Mansfield installed the following officers of Olive Branch Rebekah Lodge No. 48: Elizabeth Westergren, past noble grand; Eva Rockwell, noble grand; Ethel Dodge, vice-grand; Edna Wilson, secretary; Mamie Peterson, treasurer. On the meeting night of February 9th Grand President Alma Jensen will visit the lodge. It is requested that all members be present on that night, as business of great importance will be transacted.

There will be a leap-year dance given in I. O. O. F. hall on the 30th inst. by Les Amies. The young ladies will each take a young man. (They might get back on the latter by going alone.) The ladies will also have to get partners for each of the dances. We wonder how it will be when the members of the fair sex have escorted their escorts home. Will they then go home alone, or will the gentlemen do the proper thing and turn about and accompany their ladies home?

The season for killing ducks and quail will close on February first and hunters are making the best of the few remaining days of the season in killing the birds. Large parties have been out during the week killing much game. Captain Frank Granger, J. F. Johnston, C. D. Hayward, Claude Fox, Carl Beeger and George Genocio went up the bay Tuesday on the yacht Pet and returned yesterday, bringing large bags of canvasback, teal, spoonbills, and a few sprig and mallard. They report duck scarce on the bay. Thursday Commodore William Bement, Constable Cronk, Chas Lovie and Frank Herring of the Herring Express Company of San Francisco, left on the yacht Eclipse for a hunting trip around the bay. Before leaving they made arrangements with Johnny Poole to meet them at the wharf with his express wagon on their return to-day to bring their load of game to town to be distributed among their numerous friends.

A marriage license was issued in Oakland Wednesday to Harry B. Green of Niles and Miss Fern E. Smith of Berkeley. Mr. Green is the son of the late George Green, who was one of the most popular officials San Mateo county has ever had, but who was drowned near the fish-house while Sheriff twenty years ago. Since his father's death Mr. Green has resided in Niles, where his mother was married later to Mr. Joseph Tyson, a prominent orchardist of that place. He has often visited Redwood, and has retained many of his father's friends here.

The San Mateo County Savings Bank has appointed Miss Isabella Curran clerk and stenographer for the new bank. For the past week the young lady has been familiarizing herself with the work and will be ready to enter upon her new duties when the bank opens the first of the month. Miss Curran has for the past two years been the clerk in the office of the District Attorney and by her obliging and courteous manner, became popular with all having business with that office. She is efficient, capable and trustworthy, and the bank officials may consider themselves fortunate in securing her services.

Mr. Ellsworth, who was instrumental in organizing the Choral society which now meets weekly in the parlors of the Congregational church, has had a fine Estey organ sent from the city and it is undergoing a trial by the singers. Should the members decide to accept it, it will be paid for by the monthly dues and also by entertainments which will be given at a later period. Mr. Ellsworth is proving himself a very efficient leader and will without doubt get the vocal talent of the vicinity into a state of great proficiency.

The attorneys connected with the Chatham-Mansfield election contest case were called before Judge Murasky in San Francisco Wednesday to settle the findings in the case. A partial hearing was had and after argument the matter was further continued for future consideration.

This week J. A. Genochio bought from Fred Haussler the old shoe factory building that was a part of the old Eureka Brewery property. It is likely the building will be moved from its present location, where it has been for over a quarter of a century.

If you want to have a good laugh attend the Katzenjammer and Kids by the Bates-Watson Company in the Alhambra this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Tickets on sale at the Pioneer Drug Store.

Mrs. Charles Hatch stumbled while descending the stairs at her home in San Mateo Sunday and fell, fracturing both of the small bones of her left arm. The injury is very painful.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Congregational church will have a 25c chicken-dinner in the parlors of the Congregational church next Friday evening.

Micheltree & Co. of Palo Alto have started a piano store in the Hadler block and will endeavor to put some fine pianos into our Redwood homes.

Don't forget to see the Bates-Watson Company to-night at the Alhambra in their best play, "Whose Baby Are You."

P. J. Kiley, a native of Ireland, was admitted to citizenship in the Superior Court last Tuesday.

Dr. A. Maine has moved his offices from the Bank building to the Wahl building.

## ARRIVED IN AN AUTOMOBILE.

### The Ex-Governor Owns One of the Largest Autos in America.

Ex-Governor James H. Budd is in this city on a short tour in his big Mors French touring car. He arrived Thursday evening in company with Mrs. and Miss Dunning and a French chauffeur who drove the machine. Immediately after their arrival they took the train for San Francisco leaving the auto in care of Constable Cronk. Yesterday they returned and went out to the mouth of the creek where they will spend some time on the ex-Governor's yacht.

Mr. Budd is just home from France where he spent a year, most of the time in Paris. When he returned he brought with him the big Mors machine, which is one of the finest automobiles in America. It is one of three which are built on the same plan, one of the remaining two being owned by W. K. Vanderbilt. The machine is a veritable Pullman car, being very large and heavy. It sets unusually low, too much so for our roads. It has great speed, however, and has covered ground at the rate of 90 miles an hour, the power being derived from a 56 horse power engine. Mr. Budd brought a French chauffeur across the water with him to manipulate the machine.

## A JOINT INSTALLATION.

### Native Daughters and Native Sons Install Officers at Menlo.

Menlo Parlor, N. S. G. W., and Bonita Parlor, N. D. G. W., of this city, held a joint installation at Menlo Park Thursday evening in Duff & Doyle hall, District Deputy C. D. Hayward installed the offices of the former and Miss Roussel installed the officers of the latter. After the ceremony a social dance interspersed with vocal and instrumental music took place.

The program was a follows: Vocal solo, W. T. Casey; instrumental solo, John Miramontes; vocal solo, James Fitzgerald; address, Grand Trustee Barker; vocal solo, Miss Alice Southwood.

At the conclusion of the dance a supper was served in the hall during which numerous witty addresses were made. It was an enjoyable evening. Over seventy Native Sons and Daughters were present.

# COUNTY BOARD IN SESSION

## Official Business Transacted by the Supervisors at Monday's Meeting.

### The Masons Will Lay the Corner Stone of the New Court House on May 2.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session Monday, all members of the board being present. District Attorney Bullock reported on the Sheriff's report that was referred to him at the last meeting of the board. The item objected to was the charge of $15 for expenses incurred in the pursuit of thieves who stole a pair of horses from James Curran. The District Attorney held that it was a legal charge, inasmuch as the Sheriff performed services outside of the county.

Supervior McEvoy asked the officer if he had any report to make on the threatened damage suit for $25,000 to be instituted by Knight & Heggerty on behalf of Mrs. Armas for the death of her husband on the coastside some months ago in the collapse of a bridge.

Mr. Bullock replied that at this time it would not be policy to report anything. "We do not intend to give them any information as to what we will do, nor do we propose to report to them that we will settle," he said.

John W. Ryan of San Mateo petitioned for county aid. In his application he states that he is 36 years of age and unable to perform any work because of being stricken with sciatica.

Chairman Coleman stated that he personally knew the applicant, whom he considered a proper person for support and would recommend him to the board for aid.

On motion of McFvoy seconded by Eikerenkotter the applicant was allowed $8 a month from January 15th.

Catherine Bartels, who formerly conducted the Equator saloon near Colma, petitioned the board for a return of a portion of the license which she claimed her husband had paid. She says she is now out of business and that a man named Andrew Daley is running the place. The following is her petition to the board, which was on motion referred to the Tax Collector:

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors of San Mateo County, California. Gentlemen: The petition of Mrs. Catharine Bartels respectfully represents and shows:

That she is the surviving wife of P. H. Bartels, a former resident of your county; that said P. H. Bartels died at said county of San Mateo during the latter part of the year 1903; that said P. H. Bartels was the owner of that certain saloon or roadside inn situated on Mission Road and Prim street in said county of San Mateo.

That said P. H. Bartels on or about the 5th day of August, 1903, paid to the Hon. George Barker, Auditor of said San Mateo County, the sum of one hundred and twenty dollars ($120) in full payment for one year's license for said above-named saloon and roadside inn.

That said saloon and roadside inn was not run or conducted by said P. H. Bartels or his representatives or agent during the month of December, 1903, or at any time subsequent thereto.

That said license issued by said San Mateo County to the said P. H. Bartels will expire on or about the 31st day of May, A. D. 1904.

That said Catharina Bartels on her information and belief alleges that said San Mateo County has issued a license to one Andrew Daly to run and conduct said Equator Saloon or roadside inn, which said saloon and roadside inn was formerly owned by the said P. H. Bartels in his lifetime as aforesaid. That by virtue of the issuance of said license to said Andrew Daly the said San Mateo County will have received twice payment for the license to run said Equator Saloon or roadside inn for the months commencing with December, 1903, to and including the month of May, A. D. 1904.

That said petitioner herein has been sick since the month of September, 1903, and has ever since said time been, and now is under the immediate care and treatment of a physician; that said petitioner herein is now in great need of funds.

Wherefore, your petitioner prays that Honorable Board refund to her the sum of $60, the same being a rebate on the license heretofore issued to the said P. H. Bartels for the months commencing with December, 1903, to and including the month of May, A. D. 1904.

CATHARINA BARTELS.

Dated January 16, 1904.

Address: 331 Phelan Building, San Francisco, Cal.

The Tax Collector said the Bartels license expired on May 1st and was never renewed. Bartels paid $120 for renewal but before the license was issued he died. The Tax Collector suggested that half that sum be paid the county and the remainder to the widow. Chairman Coleman made the order referring the matter to the District Attorney and Tax Collector, to report at the next meeting.

The following communication from the State Board of Examiners was read and on motion of McEvoy seconded by McCracken referred to the Auditor for his attention and notice:

Gentlemen of Boad of Supervisors of San Mateo county, Cal.:—The law lays upon the State Board of Examiners the duty of properly auditing claims against the State for orphans, half orphans and abandoned children, and requires that it shall formulate necessary regulations that there may be complete records kept and justice done by the parentless children and by the taxpayers alike. Therefore, in compliance with the law and that duty, the State Board of Examiners has provided a more complete, satisfactory and uniform system for all counties, and it asks the co-operation of your board that such system may be put into operation at the beginning of the new year of 1904.

By this system you will keep,

1. A complete record book on file in the County Clerk's or Auditor's office, showing the age of the children, condition and what was paid out each month, etc., as indicated on the blank page enclosed.

2. Those receiving State aid will file new applications at the beginning of each year and after your Board of Supervisors shall act on the same, the application containing such action of your board will be copied on the record book and the original application will be sent to the State Board of Examiners, where it will be filed.

In accordance with this new plan we have prepared blank forms, copies of which are enclosed. These were formulated by the State Board of Examiners and have been printed by A. Carlisle & Co. of San Francisco. But you can use these forms to get a record book, blank applications, etc., printed in your own town if you prefer, as there is absolutely no obligation to buy of the San Francisco firm which keeps them in stock.

As soon as you get the blanks we ask that you discontinue all support after December 31, 1903; and require that new applications be filed before further aid is granted.

In the future, unless the record book is kept complete as herein provided, and on file at the Courthouse as required by law, State aid will not be granted to your county.

Your hearty co-operation is hereby most earnestly solicited in putting the new system in operation, that it may be uniform in all counties of the State and lessen your work and ours also; and further, your co-operation is earnestly desired that support shall be given only where necessity or misfortune shall demand, for to give aid too freely tends toward raising up a race of paupers instead of encouraging thrift and independence. Yours respectfully,

W. S. MELICK,
Secretary State Board of Examiners.

Chairman Coleman called the attention of the License Collector to the fact that instances are numerous where saloon keepers are very dilatory in applying for renewals of their licenses. Some are as much as six months behind. He believed none such should be allowed to continue unless they take immediate steps to renew their permits. If the practice continues some one will find himself in the hands of the officers on a charge of conducting business without a license. He believes the laws should be strictly enforced.

The report of Poundmaster Sherman of the First township was received and ordered filed. It is in substance as follows:

South San Francisco, Pound Dist. No. 1, San Mateo county, Cal., Jan. 2, 1904. To the honorable Board of Supervisors of San Mateo county, Cal.—Gentlemen: I herewith submit my semi-annual report for the term ending Dec. 31, 1903 (showing in detail the date and hour of impounding, place, description, owner, time of redemption or other disposition of impounded animals, charges, fees and balance deposited with the County Treasurer). Very respectfully.

A. T. SHERMAN,
Poundkeeper First Pound Dist.

### Afternoon Session.

The board reconvened at 1:30 pursuant to adjournment.

During the morning session chairman Debenedetti of the Building committee reported with reference to the new fence to be erected between the Spring Valley lands and the poor farm property. He said that Mr. Throwell agreed to erect a woven iron fence, 121 rods, for $1.50 per rod. On motion of McEvoy, seconded by Debenedetti, the report was accepted and the work ordered proceeded with by Mr. Throwell.

At the suggestion of McCracken the report of viewers of the Pescadero and Boulder Creek road was further continued for one month. The petition of Jewell and others to close certain streets at Belmont also went over for one month.

McCracken informed the board that Mary Williams of his district, who has been receiving aid from the county, had married, and on his motion, seconded by McEvoy, she was ordered stricken from the indigent list.

Clerk Schaberg reported to the board that at the present time the bills on file against the General fund amounted to between $14,000 and $15,000. The allowance to meet this indebtedness is but $3,000 per month and it will take five months to clear up the bills on file, to say nothing of the obligations which will accrue during that time. This is not a particularly cheerful showing and the board feels compelled to exercise the very closest economy in every branch of the county's affairs.

However, the bills on the General fund now on file will be paid in their regular order in the proportion of about $3,000 per month, and the first batch were allowed at this meeting.

The laying of the corner-stone of the new Courthouse was fully discussed by the board. At first the intention was to set the date for Washington's birthday, but the contractor explained that the building would not be far enough advanced by that time. Then again, he wanted the basework all finished, to be able to make a showing as to how the building will be when completed. After much debate it was definitely decided to fix the date for Monday, May 2d.

Chairman Debenedetti of the Building committee said that nothing was done by the committee, but that it would meet after adjournment to get matters in shape.

It was stated that the citizens of Redwood City have expressed a desire to take the arrangements in hand and bear the expense of the entire undertaking. The supervisors will therefore meet a committee of the prominent business men of Redwood at 9 o'clock on Monday morning, February 1st, for the purpose of making the necessary arrangements for the celebration. The Native Sons and Masonic lodges will be asked to officiate.

The claim of the Hawaiian Construction Company for $6097, being payment for work done on the new courthouse according to report of the architect, caused considerable discussion.

District Attorney Bullock said he had cut out certain items in the claim, for the reason they were not in due form. He maintained that they should not be considered. The contractor held, however, that his bill was correct and should be allowed. After much debate the contractor was allowed to withdraw his claim and he immediately presented a new one and it was allowed for $4572.75.

On motion of McEvoy, seconded by Eikerenkotter, the clerk was instructed to notify the Poor Farm superintendent to conform to the changes in the law in reference to orphans and half-orphans.

No further business appearing, the board adjourned to Monday, February 1st, at 10 o'clock.

# THE HIGH SCHOOL DEBATES.

## Palo Alto High School and Sequoia High School to Contest Three Times.

### The Academic League Has Fallen. A Handsome Silver Cup Will Be the Trophy.

As the result of a convention of delegates representing the Palo Alto and Sequoia high sechools, respectively, an agreement was reached providing for a series of three annual debates, between these institutions, the first of which will take place about April 1st, in Redwood City.

These contests will be held entirely independent of the Academic Debating League, for it is now an undeniable fact that this society has passed into history. The organization which for several years past has served as a source of intercourse between the various high schools in both San Mateo and Santa Clara counties has become but a name to conjure with. In all probability it will never again be organized. Let it now sleep the sleep of death, undisturbed by echoes of clashing strife between preparatory schools.

Several unsuccessful attempts have been made to ressurect the doomed league. A few months ago the State authorities circulated notices requesting a meeting at San Jose for the purpose of effecting the annual re-organization. Either a failure to receive the State communications, a lack of interest, or with unprecedented discourtesy, the various schools of the league failed to send delegates to this proposed gathering. The San Jose high school representatives did not even take the trouble to step across the street to attend. They did receive the State notice of a meeting. Consequently nothing was accomplished. A later scheme for the cementing of the schools suffered a like fate from a similar cause.

But, the Sequoia Union High School wishes to debate; so does Palo Alto. A challenge was first sent to St. Matthew Military Academy at San Mateo, but the adherents of the red and blue have no desire to contest rival claims this year. In order to discuss the situation delegates from Palo Alto and Sequoia met at the local building last Saturday morning. Palo Alto was represented by Professor Palmer and the Palo Alto Debating team—Newlands, McPheters, and Jackson. Sequoia's delegates were Professor Rosseter and two Redwood debaters—Halsey and Mansfield.

Both schools agreed to the plan establishing an annual debate for the next three years. This was universally popular because of the desire to insure debating interests, not merely for one year; but for two or three. A handsome silver trophy cup will be purchased by both schools, the permanent possession of which will be given to the school winning two out of three years. The winner of the first debate, however, will keep the cup temporarily—until defeated by the opponent.

Redwood City was chosen as the scene of the first battle. This was agreed upon after the subject of transportatirn was discussed; as neither school insisted upon making the first debate a home affair. The fall of a coin decided that Palo Alto should submit the questions while Sequoia might discriminate as to whether she would support the affirmative or the negative. The subjects must be forwarded by the 25th instant. One of the stipulations of the agreement is that the members of the faculty will be allowed to help the debaters only as a medium of advice. In the league debates the power of assistance was unlimited. Consequently many of the debates held under its auspices were not far from declamation contests. Under the old regime a speaker with a cleverly written speech had a decided anvantage over one whose line of argument was original. No such a state of affairs will take place in the Sequoia-Palo Alto debates. In order to have the decisions free from all question, it was also decided that all three judges should be members of the Stanford faculty. This is another strictly modern idea.

The meeting was characterized by that element of harmonious friendship which has always prevailed between Sequoia and Palo Alto. And as to results it was a huge success. Both factions expressed themselves entirely satisfied, for the students of the Palo Alto High School know that they get a square deal when they come to Redwood. Sequoia has the same confidence in Palo Alto. A significant fact in connection with this is that these two institutions inaugurated debating in Santa Clara and San Mateo counties; they are the last to continue this branch of oratory. The future contests should be of a pleasing nature to both spectators and participants in that the fierce strife and hard feeling that has characterized many of the old league debates will be totally lacking. When Palo Alto fought San Jose it was Redwood who waited for a "Boom! Rah! Rah!" victory; when Sequoia contested San Jose University of the Pacific and St. Matthews, her ally Palo Alto sent re-enforcements in the way of rooters. May this co-operation be continued through the coming debate!


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## SUPERIOR COURT.

### Proceedings Had in Probate and Civil Matters Past Week.

Estate and guardianship of Robert Guerin, a minor—Final account of M. F. Daff, as guardian, allowed and settled as presented, and order made allowing guardian and his attorney $150 for their services.

Petition of Mary Belle McLellan et al. to terminate life estate of Mary McLellan, deceased—Order made fixing Thursday, February 11th, as the time to hear said amended complaint.

Estate of Columbus Bryent—Final account of Jas. Crowe settled and allowed as presented and petition of distribution granted.

Estate of Edward Cummings—Order made setting aside whole of estate to widow of deceased.

The People of the State of California vs. Harry Russell—Defendant plead guilty to a charge of burglary and the Court thereupon set Monday, Jan. 25th, as the day for passing sentence.

Estate of W. H. Howard, deceased—Second annual account of Edward H. Howard allowed and settled as presented.

Jno. W. Stobener vs. Delia Stobener—On motion, cause transferred to Santa Clara county for trial.

Edward M. Jones vs. J. H. Mansfield—Order made transferring cause to Santa Clara county for trial.

A. S. Baldwin vs. The Regents of State University—Remittitur from Supreme Court dismissing appeal, ordered filed.

Estate of Patrick Ward, deceased—Decree of distribution granted.

Edgar C. Humphrey, through his attorney Geo. C. Ross, has begun suit against H. G. Stevenson to recover $1500 and costs of suit on an alleged contract for the sale of certain property at Fair Oaks. The complaint alleges that a purchaser was secured by plaintiff but the defendant would not agree upon a sale and repudiated the contract.

# ALL AROUND THE COUNTY.

## Events of the Week as Recorded by a Corps of Special Correspondents.

### Independence Hall Association of Woodside Held a Meet-Saturday Night.

WOODSIDE, January 22—J. George Boyne, the newly-appointed Fire Commissioner of San Francisco, is well-known among us and spends a great deal of his time at Mohawk Cottage. Mr. Boyne is a wide-awake business man, and Mayor Schmitz used good judgment in appointing such man.

Miss Mary Josselyn and her friend Miss McNutt spent a few days at Brookside the first of the week.

Miss Maggie Meyers is spending a few days with friends in the metropolis.

Walter Knights is cutting down the shade trees in front of his place and is getting ready to build.

The Independence Hall Association held a meeting last Saturday night. The old board with the exception of N. Hansen was elected. H. Koop was elected in his place. The secretary's report that the association has money to burn and prospects are bright for a big dividend for the ensuing year.

Mrs. J. Karn of San Francisco is visiting her mother, Mrs. A. Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Robinson Riley who have been in Southern California during the winter months returned to Woodside this week.

Don't forget the dance on the 30th instant. The hall has been put in great shape and a jolly good time is promised to all.

Mrs. Thomas Knight was tendered a surprise party Thursday night by her many friends. Mrs. Knight is a charming entertainer and the merry guests enjoyed themselves in every possible way, especially by listening to the graphaphone which was pronounced a wonder.

## HALFMOON BAY RIPPLES.

HALFMOON BAY, January 22—Most of our coastside residents are laid up with colds.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Francia, Miss Emma Giovannetti, Miss Josie Debenedetti and Mr. George Debenedetti, attended the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Laccari of San Francisco last Saturday night.

The Rev. C. S. Morse who has been quite ill is around again and attending his duties.

Miss Florence Higgins is visiting relatives in San Jose.

Mrs. P. Holmes of the Fountain Oil Company returned from San Francisco last Saturday.

Mrs. M. Seymour returned last Wednesday after spending two weeks with her son in San Francisco, Captain J. F. Seymour.

Miss R. Kidd of the Fountain Oil Company is visiting friends and relatives in San Francisco.

Miss Dora Cereghino of San Francisco is visiting her cousin, Miss Josie Debenedetti.

Joseph Gonzales, one of the pioneers of Halfmoon Bay, died at the County hospital last Sunday morning. He was 80 years old and was a native of Peru.

### A Coming Marriage.

Ralph Johnson, the well-known Southern Pacific engineer and brother or Fred and Al Johnson of this city, is to become a benedict. He will be married at Salinas next Wednesday to Miss Miriam Pierson, a reigning belle of the southern city. She is a Salinas City girl, highly accomplished and a young woman of rare beauty. Mr. Johnson has been employed by the Southern Pacific Company since boyhood and is at present an engineer running between San Francisco and San Luis Obispo. The young man's numerous friends in this county wish him a happy wedded life.

### Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenseswere issued by the County Clerk Schaberg this week:

Rinald C. Lippi and Clara T. Simon, San Francisco; Charles Krutzfeldt and Cleopatra Hill Duvis, Oakland; George Henry Patrick Casey of San Francisco and Elizabeth Wooster of Palo Alto; Charles Reed of Oakland and Mary B. Hutton of Santa Clara; Abner Staark, Lovelock, Nevada and Isabelle Casey.

# MENLO PARK OCCURRENCES

## Paragraphs, Personal and Otherwise, From the Village of Beautiful Homes.

### Sale of Guerin Property Confirmed Music Composer Dead—Plans for New Buildings.

MENLO, January 22—Mrs. M. Kerr of San Francisco is spending a few weeks at the Oak Grove Villa with her friend, Mrs. T. Fitzgerald.

James Andrews left Tucson, Arizona, last Thursday and is expected here to-day.

Edward Weeden left last Saturday for Las Vegas, New Mexico, to be gone two weeks.

Miss Nellie Poole of San Francisco, who is an expert in postal matters, is here on a brief visit with Mrs. Loveland.

William Ratjke, who for nearly two years has been a clerk for J. H. O'Keefe, has resigned his position to engage in business in San Francisco.

Mrs. J. Murray and young daughter of San Francisco have returned to her home after a pleasant visit of two weeks with her old friend Mrs. H. B. Morey.

The cemetery association will have a meeting at the clergy house Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. No meeting took place last Sunday on account of the rain.

Father Smyth, the former assistant pastor of the Church of the Nativity, was here during the week visiting his former parishioners, to whom he has endeared himself by his piety and sincerity.

Rev. Mr. DeGarmo of Philadelphia is supplying the pulpit of Trinity church, during the absence of the pastor, Rev. N. B. W. Gallwey. Mr. Gallwey is taking his annual vacation and with his wife is in Southern California for a month.

Father Dwyer, head of the Sulpician Order, has arrived from Baltimore and is a guest at St. Patricks Seminary. Tuesday the students were given a half holiday in his honor and in the evening the distinguished priest was banqueted by the faculty of the institution. His Grace Archbishop Riordan, was present.

Max E. Selzer, clerk at the Palo Alto postoffice, and son of the proprietor of the Menlo Pharmacy, has been recommended for appointment as permanent secretary of the Palo Alto civil service commission that will have charge of all postal examinations in the college town. Max is an efficient clerk with a bright future in Uncle Sam's postal service.

During the week Charles N. Felton left for Philadelphia to visit his daughter, Mrs. Elkins. From the City of Brotherly Love he will proceed to Washington to spend the remainder of the winter. His son Charles, who has not been enjoying the best of health lately, has gone to Southern California in the hope that the warm climate of that section will restore his former good health.

James G. Mason has given a good example to property owners in town in clearing the grass in front of his lot facing on Railroad avenue. All the grass has been cut off and a neat sidewalk made from the Duff & Doyle store to the Wells-Fargo office. Later on it will be oiled. If all property owners would beautify their holdings in this way it would add to the appearance of the town.

Sunday evening, at their home on Pine street in San Francisco, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Whittaker gave a reception and dinner to Mr. George H. P. Casey and Miss Libbie Wooster. A large number of young people attended and the formal announcement of the forthcoming marriage of Mr. Casey and Miss Wooster was made. The prospective bride is a niece of Mrs. Whittaker, who gave the reception in her honor.

Plans are out for a new two-story residence, lodge and stable for Will Taylor, son-in-law of E. W. Hopkins. The buildings will be erected on the property recently purchased by Mr. Hopkins from John T. Doyle, and near the new residence of Augustus Taylor. The structures are to be modern in every particular, well appointed, and of a fine style of architecture. Work on the buildings will begin within a short time.

The Menlo Pharmacy will be closed every Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Night calls will be answered by Mr. Hanson, the druggist in charge, at the residence of Mrs. Loveland, adjoining the postoffice.

Patrick Broeder, who was well known to old settlers here, died last week in San Francisco. Deceased was a brother-in-law of John Ryan of Redwood City, and when the latter lived here many years ago was visited quite frequently by his relative. The deceased was the father of John Broeder of San Francisco, the well known composer of music.

Last Saturday, in the Superior Court of this county, Judge Troutt, sitting for Judge Ruck, confirmed the sale of the Guerin property consisting of about 22 acres of land on the main county road adjoining the Blake tract. This is fancy residence property and was purchased at a fancy price. The land is less than one-half mile from Menlo Park depot, and less than one mile from Palo Alto depot. The purchaser, Robert H. Lee, is associated with the S. E. Slade Lumber Co. of San Francisco and Oregon and is at the present time a resident of Palo Alto. It is the intention of the purchaser to reserve a choice homesite for personal use and to dispose of portions of it to such purchasers as will contract to develop attractive homes. Menlo Park has for many years been noted as having in its immediate vicinity the most beautiful country homes on the Pacific coast, among which may be specially named as having a national reputation, those of the late James C. Flood, Leland Stanford, Charles N. Felton, Timothy Hopkins, Joseph B. Coryell, John T. Doyle, Joseph Donohoe, W. J. Adams, Captain Goodall and Edgar Mills. About the year 1890 came a demand for smaller acreage holdings, and such land as was offered was quickly taken up by San Francisco business men upon which to establish modern suburban homes, and since that time have been developed such newer places as those of J. Le Roy Nickel, Augustus Taylor, Perry Eyre, William Frank, Spencer E. Slade, Mrs. Winchester, J. J. Moore, Stephen T. Britten, George E. Batchelder, R. J. Stephenson, Edw. Eyre, Clara W. Stevenson, Burke Corbet, A. Redding, Christian W. Smith, Capt. Fred E. Bolles, A. T. Campbell, Angus Mackintosh and J. Henry Meyer. There is a steady demand here for choice property, and also constant complaint by searchers that so few chances are afforded for acquiring a location upon which to establish a modest home, so that when there is a subdivision of one of the larger tracts, it becomes a matter of interest to the whole community. La Loma Park, a subdivision of the beautifully wooded, front, foothill land of L. Altschul, now in preparation, and which will be ready for market this spring, will furnish opportunity to secure the finest foothill sites ever offered here; and the Guerin tract above mentioned, to be subdivided from the level land among the oaks, will now make it possible for all tastes to be suited and result in other new homes in the choicest residence section on earth—Menlo Park.

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Last Monday in Nov., 1903,

AT 6 O'CLOCK P. M.

and unless paid prior thereto, 15 per cent will be added to the amount thereof. If the said first installment of said taxes be not paid before the LAST MONDAY IN APRIL, 1904, at 6 p. m., an additional 5 per cent will be added to the amount thereof. The remaining one-half of the taxes on all Real Property will be payable on and after the FIRST MONDAY IN JANUARY next and will be delinquent on the LAST MONDAY IN APRIL next thereafter at 6 o'clock p. m. and unless paid prior thereto 5 per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

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**The Successful Scheme of a Theatrical Press Agent.**

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### Marriages In Burma.

Burma is unique among the countries of the east in the position accorded to women. There is no purdah there, and, gentle as she looks, the married woman is the head of her house. The girls before their ears are pierced, which is equivalent to a coming out reception, are allowed to roam about the streets playing boyish games with their brothers and their friends, and afterward there are many opportunities for young men and women to meet at festivals, boat races and other gayeties. Marriages in Burma therefore are usually love matches, and the unmarried woman is in no hurry to change her state. Burmese women are charming, generally slender, dainty and demurely coquettish. They wear gayly colored garments, which make them look like flower beds, and their hair, which is shining and smooth, is always uncovered and decked with flowers.

### Why Your Coffee Is Bad.

Bridget is an excellent cook; but, like most women of her profession, she is opinionated and insists upon making all her dishes strictly according to her own recipes. Her mistress gives her full sway not only as to cooking, but as to the purchase of supplies. The other day her mistress said to her:

"Bridget, the coffee you are giving us is very good. What kind is it?"

"It is no kind at all, mum," said Bridget. "It's a mixter."

"How do you mix it?"

"I shake it one-quarter Mocha and one-quarter Java and one-quarter Rio."

"But that's only three-quarters. What do you put in for the other quarter?"

"I put in no other quarter at all, mum. That's where so many spoil the coffee, mum—by puttin' in another quarter."—New York Press.

### The Japanese Hell.

The Japanese language has no equivalent for our word "hell," but has the word "Jigoku" instead. Jigoku consists of, first, eight immense hot hells, ranging one beneath the other in tiers. Each of these hells has sixteen additional hells outside its gates, like so many antechambers, so that there are in all 136 hot hells. Second, there are eight large cold hells, each with its sixteen ante-hells, making the same number of cold that there are of hot hells. Besides these 272 hot and cold hells for offenders of the common sort the wily Japs have twenty mammoth "hells of utter darkness," into which will be consigned the spirits of children who take the name of Dai Butsa, or Great Buddha, in vain.

### Why He Doubted the Map.

At a St. Andrew's society dinner one of the speakers told of a Scotch gardener, recently landed, who had great difficulty in acquiring a knowledge of American geography. The son of the household, failing to teach the gardener in any other way, brought out a huge, highly colored map. The Scot looked at it critically.

"Ah, yes, lad; that may be, but it's no to be truisted. It's laid oot in the plaid o' the leein' MacFechtons," was his comment.

Semi-Annual Return, Report and Account

—OF—

## Public Administrator,

To wit: To January 1, 1904.

To the Honorable the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Mateo, the Honorable George H Buck, Judge of said Superior Court, and to H. W. Schaberg Esq., County Clerk in and for said county:

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 1736 of the Code of Civil Procedure of said State of California the undersigned, James Crowe, Public Administrator of said County, respectfully makes and returns to said Superior Court this, his return of all estates of decedents which have come into his hands, and have been fully administered within six months last past, and are now in process of administration, to wit:

| Name of Estate. | Appraised Value of Estate. | Money received by Administrator. | Disposition of Estate. | Amount of Administrator's Fees. | Expenses of Administration. | Balance in Hands of Administrator. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| William Dow | No appraisement | None | In process of administration | Undetermined and unpaid | Undetermined and unpaid | No amount. |
| Hannah Dow | No appraisement | None | In process of administration | Undetermined and unpaid | Undetermined and unpaid | No amount. |
| Columbus Bryant | No appraisement | None | In process of administration | Undetermined and unpaid | Undetermined and unpaid | No amount. |
| L. E. Edwards | No appraisement | $265.45 | In process of administration | Undetermined and unpaid | Undetermined and unpaid | $51.45 |
| Hans Jessen | No appraisement | 1870.96 | In process of administration | Undetermined and unpaid | Undetermined and unpaid | 1870.96 |
| John Darcy | $4452.40 | 150.00 | In process of administration | Undetermined and unpaid | Undetermined and unpaid | 150.00 |
| M. T. Quinn | $392.77 | 392.77 | In process of administration | Undetermined and unpaid | Undetermined and unpaid | 392.77 |
| | No appraisement | 200.14 | In process of administration | Undetermined and unpaid | Undetermined and unpaid | 200.14 |

Reference to section 1736 "supra" will inform the Court and Clerk that it is necessary that this Report and Return should be published six times in some newspaper in said county, and that one copy thereof must be filed with the papers in each estate herein reported.

Section 152 of the County Government Act of the State of California as it now exists, provides that "the publication of the semi-annual report required to be made, by the Public Administrator, shall be a County charge."

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES CROWE,

Public Administrator of the County of San Mateo, State of California.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, } ss.
County of San Mateo, }

James Crowe being duly sworn says: I am the Public Administrator of the County of San Mateo, State of California; I have read the foregoing report, return and account, and know the contents thereof; that the same is true and correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JAMES CROWE.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of January, 1904.

[Seal] HENRY W. WALKER,
Notary Public in and for the County of San Mateo, State of California.

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### Fortunes In Picture Frames.

Some splendid picture frames may be seen every year at the Royal academy exhibition, but the finest and costliest frame ever made for a picture was that which incloses the "Virgin and Child" in Milan cathedral. It is made of hammered gold, with an inner molding of lapis lazuli. The corners of this valuable frame have hearts designed in large pearls and precious stones. Some idea of its value may be gained when it is stated that the frame is eight feet long and six feet wide. Its estimated worth is £25,000. One of the pictures in the Vatican at Rome is in a frame studded with jewels. The picture is a valuable one, but the frame nearly equals the value of the painting.

### Flag Poles.

With proper care a flag pole ought to last a great many years in spite of the incessant exposure to the elements. Of course the best preservative of wood is paint, and a man who has a flagstaff which has cost him a good sum of money should see that it is painted at least once every twelve months. Flag poles generally rot at the bottom first and then have to be taken down to prevent them from falling of their own weight.

### Her Cultivated Taste.

"How is your daughter getting on with her music?"

"Very well," answered Mr. Cumrox. "She has got along so far that when I ask her to play anything I like she looks haughty and says, 'The idea!'"—Washington Star.

### The Minister.

First Scot—What sort of meenister hae ye goten, Geordie?

Second Scot—We seldom get a glint o' him. Six days o' th' week he's envees'ble, and on the seventh he's incomprehens'ble.—London Mail.

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Crimsonbeak—"That's why they put such heavy monuments over some of them, I suppose."

### What Time Proves.

This thing of being sick and looking for a cure is a mighty serious business. People are not given to joking even at the first symptom of the approach of the grim destroyer. They do not want to be the subjects of experiment, but want medicine that had the test of years behind it. A medicine that has been made and used for 20 years gives assurance of its worth, and can be taken with a faith that they have the very best cure the world affords. All this can be said about Dr. Gunn's Improved Liver Pills as a remedy for sick-headache, dyspepsia, and indigestion, it begins right at the source of the trouble and the removes the cause. We will send a sample box of these pills free, or a full box on receipt of 25 cents. Sold by all druggists for 25 cents per box, or address Dr. Bosanko Medicine Company, 128 S. Sixth street, Philadelphia, Penn.


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| B 5.43 a. m. daily, except Sunday | | 6.46 a. m. |
| D 6.13 a. m. daily | | 7.10 a. m. |
| A 6.51 a. m. daily, except Sunday | | 8.00 a. m. |
| A 7.36 a. m. daily | | 8.36 a. m. |
| E 8.10 a. m. daily, except Sunday | | 9.00 a. m. |
| A 8.41 a. m. daily | | 9.40 a. m. |
| B 8.58 a. m. daily | | 10.15 a. m. |
| F 9.52 a. m. daily | | 10.45 a. m. |
| G 11.22 a. m. daily | | 12.15 p. m. |
| A 12.03 p. m. daily | | 1.20 p. m. |
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| E 6.26 p. m. daily | | 7.20 p. m. |
| B 8.26 p. m. daily except Sunday | | 9.45 p. m. |
| I 8.26 p. m. Saturday only | | 9.45 p. m. |
| J 9.52 p. m. daily | | 10.45p. m. |

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| AJ 7.00 a. m. daily | | 8.03 a. m. |
| H 9.00 a. m. daily | | 9.59 a. m. |
| A 10.30 a. m. daily | | 11.35 a. m. |
| K 11.30 a. m. daily | | 12.34 p. m. |
| AG 1.30 p. m. daily | | 2.30 p. m. |
| F 3.30 p. m. daily | | 4.34 p. m. |
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| E 5.00 p. m. daily, except Sunday | | 5.54 p. m. |
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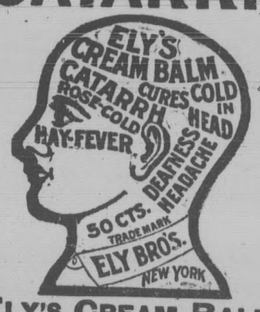


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